

Sedalia Evening Democrat

SEDALIA, MISSOURI, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1892.

NEW SERIES

WILL RAISE IT.

RAILROAD

FIGHTING LAST NIGHT.

The proposition by the Road Agent and a Selecting Committee Approved.

It was voted as large a sum at the railroad meeting last night as the importance of the occasion warranted, but those who were present agreed and signed for the early completion of the road and will work to see it done.

Several speakers at the meeting spoke briefly of the importance of the matter in hand and of the creation of the proposition to be submitted to Sedalia.

This evening was called to meet Col. J. L. Thornton, elected secretary.

Col. O. A. Crandall, the president of the Springfield, Sedalia, Marshall and Northern railroad company, then called the meeting to discuss in detail the work the company had done and what it now proposed to accomplish.

The fitting purpose and the proposed company is that the proposed line shall be a part of a transcontinental line from the Gulf of Mexico.

Mr. Crandall said the company was organized more than a year ago, and during the election of President Bush, nothing was done, but the Umbria, arrived this morning, reports none."

News reached here to-day that Germany had prohibited immigration from Russia.

A motion of Mr. Sangree,

fails. We can afford to pay the amount asked for if it wins. The building of the road will increase the value of Sedalia property millions of dollars.

Mr. Henry Lamm favored the project. He thought the road was needed and should be built at once. He believed Messrs. Hart and Hastain, who are to canvass the congressional district, would subscribe liberally in order to save themselves the fatigue of long journeys over dusty roads. We certainly should have a north and south road. The speaker suggested the appointment of a committee to raise the money and get the right of way.

A resolution was offered and unanimously adopted accepting the proposition made by Col. Crandall, on condition that the other counties accept the propositions made to them.

On motion of Mr. Sangree, Messrs. Cyrus Newkirk, F. B. Meyer, J. N. Dalby, J. C. Van Riper, Chris Hye, B. G. Wilkerson and Dr. H. W. Wood were appointed as a committee to take charge of the work of raising the \$60,000 and right of way, and the committee was given power to appoint sub-committees.

On motion of Judge Hoy, the resident directors of the road were added to the committee.

Entire harmony characterized the meeting and every man present was heartily in favor of the road and is ready to do what he can to get it.

"FIXED THE WIRES."

How Some Fool Disabled Five Miles of Pacific Telegraph Wires for Twenty-four Hours.

Jack Gibbs, circuit manager of the Missouri Pacific telegraph lines at the depot, has had enough trouble in the past two days to make several gray spots in his hair.

On last Thursday it was found that five of the wires running westward were completely disabled and the line men were accordingly sent out to repair the damages. The break was thought to be somewhere near Knob Noster, but a patient search failed to locate it. It then dawned upon Jack that someone had "fixed" the wires.

A hand car was called into requisition early yesterday morning and the disgusted manager started over the line. A tester was applied to the wires and the difficulty was located near Knob Noster. Still the exact point of the trouble could not be found. A careful and accurate test was again made and, though it could not be seen, it was known that the "break" was within the length of three telegraph poles of the instrument. The wires were closely followed and in a short time the air is said to have been filled with the fumes of sulphur.

A wire many feet in length and not larger than a horse hair was found wrapped around the entire five wires, completely disabling them. The culprit had climbed a telegraph pole, wrapped the wires and then taken a stick and pushed the small wire to a half way distance between the poles. The wire was so small it could hardly be seen. The wires were disabled twenty-four hours and it is safe to say that the culprit will wish himself clear if caught.

A big thing for Sedalia.

A prominent gentleman, in speaking of the north and south road this morning, said that the immense and valuable timber forests through which the road would pass would place Sedalia in a position to command the attention of all manufacturers which might need a large amount of timber in their business.

This is an important item and should not be overlooked in the efforts to secure the Springfield, Sedalia, Marshall & Northern rail way.

Mr. Crandall said it took a great deal of work to build railroads, but if the road to Sedalia could be built, the road would be built at once and the road built at once.

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Taylor Umble recently escaped from the rock pile and will have the pleasure of completing his unexpected time in addition to the fine he will receive Monday.

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MORE CHOLERA.

THE ASIATIC INVADER RESIDING IN NEW YORK.

Several Vessels Report Cholera Cases—Cabin Passengers Among the Unfortunate Victims.

Special to the Democrat.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The situation as regards Asiatic cholera has grown more alarming to-day, though health officers still claim that the quarantine system is such that they can hold the invader in check.

The noon report of Quarantine Officer Jenkins says:

"The Ruggia had nine cholera cases and four deaths. The Normania, which arrived this morning, had five cholera deaths, among the cases being several cabin passengers. The Normania and passengers are in strict quarantine.

Mr. Ramsey was out of the city this morning and did not return until late this afternoon. He would neither affirm nor deny the report, but said that he "would do something later."

A Relative of La Grippe.

A Sedalia physician informed a DEMOCRAT reporter this morning that an epidemic of influenza similar to la grippe, the symptoms of which were a cold in the head, sore throat and a high fever, was in Sedalia. He has seen at least 300 people during the past two weeks who were suffering with it. Even horses in some parts of the county have the disease.

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their money refunded, but she was obdurate and declared herself most vigorously. She said that the company was O. K. and that she was one of its agents. The ladies left and Mrs. Bailey's arrest followed, as stated above.

Judge Fisher set her preliminary examination for next Monday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and placed her bond at \$75. A wealthy Sedalia capitalist whom Mrs. Bailey claimed to know, was summoned to the court room. He appeared and stood security for the bond. Mrs. Bailey, to indemnify him against loss, made a cash deposit of \$250.

Will Hear from Him.

David Ramsey, republican candidate for county treasurer, is said to have been notified by the American Protective Association, an anti-Catholic organization, that he would be defeated in the coming election if he did not withdraw his daughters from the school of the Visitation Convent at St. Louis.

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Killed on the Branch.

A laboring man named Chamberlain was killed by the Lexington branch train at Cecil, near Kansas City, at about 6:30 o'clock this morning. His skull was fractured.

Marriage License.

John McClure, Windsor, Mo., to Lillian Fridley, Johnson county.

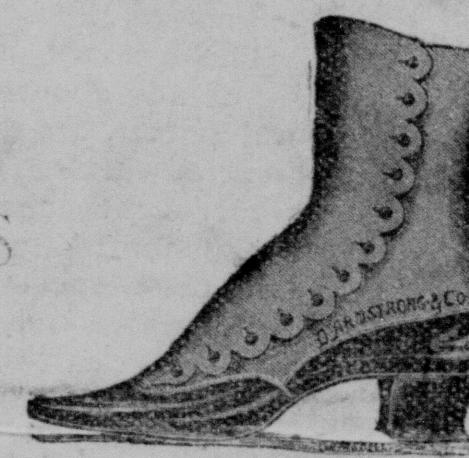
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A CHICAGO WOMAN IN TROUBLE.

She was Arrested Last Night for Obtaining Money under False Pretenses.

Mrs. O. G. Bailey, a rather prepossessing blue eyed woman stopping at Sieher's and registering from Chicago, was arrested last night by Marshal DeLong and Constable Ramsey and taken before Justice Fisher about 10 o'clock to answer the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses and falsely representing herself to be an agent of a concern with which she is supposed to have no connection.

She has been in Sedalia since last Monday and represented herself to be the agent of the United States Book & Mercantile Co.

Her plan of operation was to sell handsomely printed certificates of membership which entitled the owner to purchase for about half price anything in the way of books, dress goods, furniture and, in fact, anything desired. The certificates were sold for \$6.85 each. Mrs. Bailey was a shrewd, plausible talker and soon had a number of the most prominent ladies of the city as members. Her business seemed to flourish and the little woman was all smiles.

But a rude interruption occurred. Yesterday afternoon the ladies held a consultation and decided that appearances were not what they should be and felt that the certificates were not worth the paper. They called upon Mrs. Bailey and demanded

There were two pistol shots fired in rapid succession at 11:15 o'clock this morning in the vicinity of John Bowman's house, on West Sixth street. Mr. Bowman himself was not aware of any disturbance, when spoken to, about it this morning. The midnight canoodlers are unknown.

Go to the Original Racket, 222 Ohio street, for school slates and pencils.

All the delicacies of the season at Peter Pehl's Fulton restaurant.

Hoffman Bros. for rubber hose and sprinklers.

Turned on the Hose.

The police had occasion to tap the fire bell this morning and as usual a large crowd of curious loafers congregated to see that the work was done right and assisted Marshal DeLong with valuable suggestions.

They were told to disperse, but hesitated about doing it. Marshal DeLong turned the calaboose hose on them and then there were several good drenchings. Marshal DeLong says that he intends to put a stop to the crowd that assembles on such occasions.

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Patronize the liquor house at 112 Osage street, Frank Krueger.

SAW THE DEAD ARISE.

The Nocturnal Experience of a Sedalia Negro with a Shot Corpse.

About 9 o'clock last night there was a howl of anguish and terror in a Sedalia undertaking establishment that seemed to indicate that somebody was in the clutches of the devil himself and was being spitted on a flaming fork.

During the early part of the evening, some reckless fellows told Eliza Drake, a negro who drives one of the city scavenger wagons, that they would give him \$2 to sit up all night with the corpse of a poor, dead man who hadn't any friends and whom they didn't wish to see eaten up by a black cat with eyes of fire, etc.

Eliza is a very superstitious negro and learned from his old grandmother many dreadful tales of the uncanny when he was a pickinny wearing a short gingham shirt in the winter and nothing but the wandering winds and a few stray beams of sunshine in the summer. He accepted the proposition, however, as more money than he ordinarily got for simply sitting in a chair and waiting for a funeral to take place.

At the time agreed upon Eliza put in appearance with a strange lump in his throat which was hardly kept in equilibrium by the desire to get the \$2.

Before his arrival, one of the boys powdered his face, stretched himself full length on the marble slab, had his companions to nicely fold his hands and lay a dollar over each eye.

Eliza was taken into the dead room and told that all they required of him was to keep watch and not annoy the corpse by allowing his teeth to chatter. He was also told that if anything strange happened—which, of course, would not—he should call in a loud voice for help. They then took their departure.

Eliza sat still as a mouse. There was not a sound to disturb the awful quiet of the place; the odor of pine boxes and the long row of coffins affected him in a strange way, and the dusty attic with its cobwebs seemed to fill with terrible forms as he caught a glimpse here and there where the moonlight came through the cracks in the roof. Then he looked at the corpse. The cold, stiff form lay rigid under the white sheet. Eliza was startled at his bravery when he thought of the old plantation song, "Dess Bones Shall Rise Again."

What was that? He gasped for breath. Did the corpse move? No, it was a mistake for, with his eyes bulging from their sockets, he sees that not a muscle of the dead body is changed. Slowly one of the hands moves; the kinks straighten out of Eliza's hair and he will ever after bear a peculiarity of the Caucasian race—his hair is straight.

Suddenly with a horrible groan the sheeted dead moves on the slab; the negro, crazed with fright, utters a yell and springs for the stairway and only strikes the high places as he goes down.

When found at the bottom he was livid with terror and unable to walk.

An examination showed that the unfortunate fellow had shattered his right ankle. He was taken to his home north of the gas works, and Dr. W. C. Overstreet set the fractured bone in a splint.

A DEMOCRAT reporter saw him this morning, and at the time Drake was almost too scared to talk. The thoughtless young fellows who played the prank are, of course, very sorry, and are "squaring things" by paying the doctor's bill and indemnifying Drake for the time he is in bed.

AT INDEPENDENCE.

Secretary A. L. Burr Returned This Morning—Famous Nancy Hanks—Her Appearance.

A. L. Burr returned this morning from Independence, Ia., where he attended the great races during the past week. Mr. Burr was present when Nancy Hanks made the great 2:05 1/4 record and says that it was a scene never to be forgotten. There were hundreds of watches held on the peerless mare as she passed the different time marks. When the result of the race was learned the audience went crazy for the moment, sending terrific cheer after cheer for Nancy Hanks and her driver, Bud Doble.

Nancy Hanks is a good sized mare with 5th district, E. G. Finnigan, 2nd district, John J. Maloney, 4th district, Elbridge E. Nock.

The Nebraska League of Republican clubs has elected the following officers: President, I. W

ATURDAY, SEPT. The Greatest Comedy Hit of the Age.
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TUESDAY, SEPT. Belmont's Great Day, the
ARTS OF NEW YORK. Belmont's Pictures of the Lights of
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Perry Express, 50c; 1.25;
N.Y. Bound, 1.00;
Main Line, .60
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OUR CHOICE IS**THE EVENING DEMOCRAT.**

"I would earnestly advise them for their good to order this paper to be punctually wed up and to be looked upon as a part of tea equipage." —ADDITION.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Patrons of the EVENING DEMOCRAT will confer a favor upon the management by promptly reporting any irregularity in delivery or bad condition of paper from improper handling.

CIRCULATION.
There are more Sedalia people regular readers of the EVENING DEMOCRAT than any other

Fine
ought to take only a few days to raise sixty thousand dollars and the right of way for the north and south railroad.

The railroad meeting last night was not as largely attended as it should have been, but it made up in earnestness what it lacked in numbers.

This is going to be a democratic jubilee year and Sedalia is going to celebrate it by giving a handsome majority in favor of every man on the democratic ticket from Grover Cleveland to W. D. Wallace, both inclusive.

The Gazette rejoices that "10,000 Welsh tin plate makers have been thrown out of employment" by the closing of the mills. Of course such a calamity in Wales will help to force the people of the United States to use the product of the galvanized iron trust.

THE DEMOCRAT would urge the proper city authorities to at once take steps to put Sedalia in the best possible shape to ward off cholera and other epidemic diseases. It will not do to delay this matter. It will cost money, but the people of Sedalia do not object to expending money to preserve the public health.

It is not often that a notorious desperado is hanged, but "leaden footed" justice caught up with Talton Hall at last, and he was hanged in Wise county, Virginia, yesterday.

He is charged with having killed forty-nine men, and recently while bound and cuffed attempted to make the more an even hundred when the man he betrayed was brought before him.

HANNIBAL could have furnished the republican party with a dozen abler, better and stronger candidates for governor than Major Wm. men who were not in any connected with the great railroads, the whisky ring and the ale disfranchisement of the however grievously be in their political stable honest patriotic

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such stronger candidate than Warner. Indeed there are several Sedalia republicans who would not only have polled more votes than the major, but who are in every way more worthy of party leadership. The republican managers now begin to realize that they made a mistake and from now until the election the Warner campaign will lose enthusiasm.

COLUMBIA'S BAD FAITH.
Above all things good faith and a strict sense of honor should be cultivated and observed in a "university town," where the brightest among the youth of the state are educated and have their characters molded.

Hence the DEMOCRAT regrets to see that Columbia shows a disposition to forget the pledges made last winter and violate the solemn promise made by her citizens, and without which the university would have been removed to some other locality.

The people of the state will remember that one of the pledges upon which the school was permitted to remain at Columbia was that that town would at once build water works and take precautions to protect the state's property from destruction by fire.

Indeed, Columbia gave bond to do this. The solemn promise was made that if the state would make an appropriation to rebuild, the town of Columbia would build waterworks.

There were many who held that it was unsafe for the state to take the risk; that a town which had gone for so many years without any of the conveniences of nineteenth century civilization or modern precautions against the destruction of property, would not be likely to reform so suddenly.

It was broadly hinted that Columbia's bond was legally not worth the paper on which it was written, and that it had been deliberately drawn in that way with the view of not carrying out the contract.

The general assembly refused to believe this, however.

What is the result?

The work of rebuilding is going on, the appropriation made by the state is being expended and Columbia has made no movement to build water works.

The Herald, a live and conscientious newspaper, has in vain urged the citizens to carry out in good faith the solemn promise they made.

A few public spirited citizens have urged the same course, but the average tax-payer buckles up his pocket-book, shrugs his shoulders, turns a deaf ear to all appeals, points to the work already done, and says: "We have got the university and the state can't help herself. Let 'em kick."

And that is the spectacle that the enterprising people of the state see in the very shadow of the university.

How can a real university be built up amid such environments?

Would it not be far better for the state for the general assembly next winter to take up the matter again and remove Missouri's chief educational institution to a healthier atmosphere?

Enterprising towns will erect needed buildings for a grand state school.

Independence, Clinton, Marshall and Sedalia were acting in good faith last winter when they appeared before the general assembly and made their bids for the university.

The DEMOCRAT believes they are still willing to do what they proposed and it is altogether likely that they will have the opportunity.

Missourians do not relish a bunco game, and the dry bones of Columbus will receive such a shaking up as they have never had before.

CLEAN UP THE CITY! It is wrong to permit conditions to exist which invite epidemic diseases. In the districts that are already provided with sewers there is no sort of excuse for not using them for the purpose for which they were built. In other districts the best that can be done is to enforce the frequent and thorough cleaning up of all streets and alleys and the removal of all filth.

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son, of this city, concludes his letter as follows:

"There is absolutely no truth in the statement which has gone out to the effect that there were Democratic Warner clubs here. The president of the so-called club is now in jail here, and there are a lot of letters, uncalled for, lying here in the post office, addressed to one J. J. Hayden, president of one of these imaginary clubs. The mail carriers tell me there is no such man in Kansas City, as they have made diligent search all over the city and failed to locate him. The only Cleveland-Warner man we can put our hand on here is now in jail".

THE KANSAS CITY FAIR.

One of the Greatest Carnival Weeks Ever Seen in the West—The Mang Attractions.

On October 1st the Exposition Driving park gates will again be open to the world, and the special attractions are too numerous to mention in full. Prominent among the attractions can be mentioned Republican day, Tuesday, October 4th, Hon. Wm. McKinley, of Ohio, will deliver an address. Wednesday, October 5th, Priest of Pallas parade. Thursday, October 6th, People's Party day, and among the speakers will be found Hon. Wm. Peffer and John B. Weaver; this is also German day. Friday is Democratic day, and the Hon. David B. Hill, of New York, will address the people.

Sig. Liberati, of New York, with his celebrated band of forty pieces, will give concerts daily during the fair.

Never in the history of Kansas City has there ever been such wonderful attractions. Racing of all kinds and half rates on all railroads. All of our citizens should arrange to spend one or more days at the great fair and exposition. The fair will close on October 9th.

FINE WORK.

The Work Done by the Empire Steam Laundry Not to be Surpassed.

The Empire steam laundry is making many friends by its thorough work. They have shown much enterprise in getting seamstresses to do their repairing and their customers appreciate it and tell all their friends about it.

The smooth finish that they put on shirts is equal to any store shirt you ever saw. If you don't believe it, just let them do your work for you once and you will be convinced.

Market Prices to-day.

The markets offer a large variety of vegetables and fruits at very reasonable prices to-day. They are as follows: Concord grapes, 5 cents per pound; apples, 30 cents per peck; onions, five cents per quart; wax beans, 15 cents per gallon; sweet potatoes, 25 cents per gallon; good Irish potatoes, 25 cents per peck; tomatoes, 20 cents per peck; cabbage, 10 cents per head; squash, three for 5 cents; watermelons, 10 to 30 cents each; cantaloupe, 5 to 10 cents each; peaches, 10 cents per quart; plums, 25 cents per gallon; crab apples, 35 cents per gallon; corn, a dozen ears for 10 cents; cucumbers, 10 cents a dozen.

A Printing Office Sold.

Ol. W. Klinger and Frank Stearns give up the keys of their office today to M. Whitehead, who purchased their job printing office on Ohio street. Klinger & Stearns have built up a good business during their residence in Sedalia and have turned out a class of work that was of a very high grade. It is more than probable that both will seek to increase their fortunes in the west as Col. Klinger has just returned from business prospecting in that country. Mr. Whitehead is well and favorably known in Sedalia and is a printer of large, practical experience.

Accident While Going to a Fire.

At 9:30 last night a fire was discovered in the roof of the old Jake-man bakery on Fourth street, back of the Equitable building. The fire was put out before the hose company arrived. During the run, one of the horses came near being killed. As the company passed Kaiser's hotel, going south on Lamine, one of the horses pulling the hose cart No. 2, slipped and fell on the brick paved street and was dragged a considerable distance. Luckily, the car did not run over him and he escaped with a few bruises.

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BY PETRUCHIO.

Newspaper Men.

Do you know, the more I see of newspaper men the better I like them. I had not expected it would be that way. I had supposed, years ago when I first drifted in from the backwoods county where I grew up, that newspaper men were an impudent lot of fellows, shiftless as well, vain in a way but in no wise truly proud, and farther that they would prefer patronage bestowed for the purpose of bribing them or saving them from the poor house to that which was given as a legitimate investment looking for profitable returns.

I was interested, for he impressed me as a plucky little fellow. I questioned him further, and found he knew a gentleman in Sedalia who had frequently stopped at his father's home, but that he would not appear at this friend's house, and his unique reason was that he had no money. He had been looking for work, and his meagre store of funds had been exhausted.

I knew the man to whom the boy referred, and knew that a welcome would have been extended, and so told the lad. But he said very stoutly:

"Yes, I know that, sir; but I would feel like a sneak at his house. I have no money, and I wouldn't go to his house like a beggar."

"But he wouldn't know you had no money," I suggested.

"Well, I know it, and I'd rather go hungry than to feel like I went in on him just because I had no other way to get something to eat. And he'd think we wanted to sponge off him cause he had been to our house, and I wouldn't do it."

Do you know, I had hard work to persuade that boy to go with me to the restaurant across from the depot and get a hot cup of coffee and a lunch. When he did consent he went right along, drank two cups of coffee, ate heartily, thanked me warmly and departed. I have his name, and I shall hear of his success. He is hardy and possesses the true spirit of independence which I love to see in young America.

A Bicycle Sulky.

Of the many descriptions of the now famous bicycle sulky, the following is a brief one and is easily understood:

The ordinary sulky wheels, which are usually about fifty-eight inches in diameter, are removed; and these bicycle wheels, which are about twenty-eight inches in diameter, are attached directly under the sulky axle; each wheel has a fork, one end of which is drilled out and slips over the axle of the sulky; the other end of this fork is fastened to the axle on which the bicycle wheel revolves; another fork brake is fastened to the end of this bicycle wheel axle and to the shaft of the sulky.

By this arrangement the wheels revolve directly under the sulky axles, the tires nearly touching them, so that the driver's seat remains very nearly the same height from the ground as it did when the ordinary wheels were used.

The wheels used on the sulky drawn by Nancy Hanks in her world's record-breaking trot at Chicago, August 17, were bicycle wheels having ball bearings and "hosepipe" inflated tires.

The reason why this sulky enabled the horse to break previous records, was because the ball bearings reduced to a minimum the friction of the wheels and the rubber tires gave better traction.

The gentleman is a member of the Southern Methodist church, Walnut street congregation, Kansas City. He is one of the curators of Central College at Fayette, and for several years was treasurer of the board of missions of this state. He believes in and practices a personal responsibility for moral conditions, and holds that it is every man's duty to use his utmost endeavor to better the lot of human kind. He is a primitive democrat and loves his party for its principles above all other reasons.

This is a short sketch of the man who will direct the destinies of one of the greatest papers in the land. That his own high ideas will permeate the great institution he controls is undoubted, and that it will bear rich fruits in certain. His business acumen and sterling integrity insures business methods and public confidence in the conduct of the Times. It has already commenced to respond to his attention, and I am sure that this great democratic journal on the western borders of the great commonwealth of Missouri is about to enter a season of great prosperity and power such as it has never known. Such must be the logical result of the conditions under which it now exists.

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The President's Proclamation Carries No Force at New York.

JENKINS WILL USE HIS DISCRETION.

The Powers of the General Government Secondary to the Local Government in Matters of Health and Quarantine.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Health Officer Jenkins declares that he shall continue to quarantine vessels and to release them from quarantine according to his view of the requirements of the special cases, without regard to President Harrison's proclamation.

In the absence of Attorney-General Rosemire Deputy Attorney-General John W. Hogan, in response to a request from Dr. Jenkins asking him to define his powers in connection with the circular approved by President Harrison, ordering a quarantine detention of twenty days on all vessels destined for United States ports, wrote an opinion in which he particularly holds that the health officer of the port of New York may use his discretion as to how long a vessel shall be detained at quarantine independent of any proclamation of the president.

Mr. Hogan in the course of his opinion says: "I have read the opinion of the attorney-general of the United States as published in the public press of this date and agree with that portion of his opinion wherein he states that the act of congress of April 20, 1878, may be considered in full force and effect at the present time."

The act of 1878 referred to prohibits the entry of any vessel from any foreign port or country where contagious or infectious diseases may exist, contrary to quarantine laws of any state into or through which said vessel may pass or to which it is destined except in the manner and subject to the regulations to be prescribed as in the act contained.

The act further requires the consular officer or other representatives of the United States at or near any foreign port to immediately give information to the supervising surgeon-general of the marine hospital service whenever any infectious or contagious disease shall appear in any foreign port or country, or in case of the departure of any vessel from any infected foreign port bound for any port in the United States. The facts to be reported in such case are stated in detail, and a like report is required to be made to the health officer of the port of destination in the United States. The consular officer is further required to make weekly reports to the health officer of the sanitary condition of the ports where they are respectively stationed.

The surgeon-general of the marine hospital service under the direction of the secretary of the treasury is charged by the act with the execution of the provisions of the act and of framing rules and regulations for that purpose, which rules are to be subject to approval by the president. The two important provisions of the same act should be considered in determining how far this act of congress is applicable to the port of the city of New York. The rules and regulations to be prescribed are, by the act itself, limited by the provisions:

First.—But such rules and regulations shall not conflict with, or impair any sanitary, or quarantine laws, or regulations of any state or municipal authorities now existing, or which may hereafter be enacted.

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The act of congress, therefore, in view of the fact that the state of New York has adopted the laws and regulations in reference to quarantine, does not give the supervising surgeon-general of the United States any authority to make any rules or proclamation that conflicts with or impairs any law of the state of New York, or any rule or regulation of the quarantine commissions or health officer of this state.

CONSIDERED A VICTORY.

Officials of the Santa Fe Constitute the Up-Hot of the Canned Goods Rate.

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—When the Southern Pacific appealed to the commissioners of the Western Traffic conference for authority to establish a rate of 50 cents per 100 pounds on canned goods, wines and other commodities from San Francisco to New York and certain intermediate points, it also delivered itself of a threat. This threat was to the effect that if the authority was not granted the company would give the ninety days' notice required by the agreement and put the proposed rate into effect at the end of that time.

The Southern Pacific now has an opportunity to make its word good. Chairman Walker yesterday issued a circular dispatch approving the proposition. This result of the case is set down by the officials of the Atchison as a victory for them, as theirs was the company that most vigorously opposed the Southern Pacific proposition.

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Notwithstanding Thirty Imported Cases, Cholera Obtains No Foothold in Great Britain.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—President Harrison's circular relative to the quarantining of vessels carrying immigrants finds general approval here. There is some feeling of envy also that the American law enables the government to take such prompt and thorough steps to stop the importation of cholera.

The cholera in Great Britain seems to have been fairly mastered. The chief physician of the local government board told an Associated Press representative yesterday that the outbreak was entirely satisfactory. He said that although about thirty cases of cholera at all the ports of Great Britain had been dealt with during the last ten days, there was no single instance of the disease spreading beyond the person first attacked. While it has been proved that every case of cholera occurring in this country was contracted abroad and that the medical board put its best face on the situation, still the fact is palpable to everybody that the public has become utterly unconcerned and has become imbued with the conviction that the disease will not be allowed to spread and that it will never assume an epidemic form.

STRIKE RIOT IN ENGLAND.

Non-Unionists Attacked By Strikers—The latter Draw Knives.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—A train carried out from Liverpool to-day 150 non-union workmen to the Newbridge salt works, where a strike is in progress. Unionist scouts in Liverpool telegraphed ahead that the non-unionists were coming, and when the train reached the station several hundred men, led by strikers, had gathered to prevent the new men from leaving the carriages.

The Myer party is booked to arrive on the fast train over the Illinois Central and there will be a monster delegation to meet the Streator lad, who has many admirers in this city. A party of friends will take the outgoing train on the Illinois Central and will stop at one of the stations along the road and intercept the train that is now running south. At Carrollton, where Myer is to train, every accommodation has been made for his reception and he will be able to pursue his training, punching the bag, running and boxing just as well as was able to do at his home in Streator. Myer trained before at Carrollton and is to be a guest at Walman's garden. The reports of his condition have had the effect of increasing the confidence of his friends and there is more Myer money here to-day than at any time before.

Maj. Bob Garrett, of the Queen and Crescent, said yesterday morning that he had not yet received any advices as to the progress of the Sullivan train or as to the time of its arrival in this city. Maj. Garrett has no doubt that the Sullivan special will come to New Orleans over the New Orleans & Northeastern line to Cincinnati, and he has been busy telegraphing to Cincinnati headquarters for particulars in order that proper arrangements can be made for the reception of the champion. As the train is a special no definite idea can yet be given as to the time of its arrival, which, however, will be some time this evening.

As there is likely to be a tremendous crowd at the depot arrangements will probably be made to take the champion off at some point before the train reaches the New Orleans depot. Rooms have been fitted up for Sullivan at Mrs. Green's, on Rampart street just opposite the Young Men's Gymnastic club, and though it is not definitely known that he will stop there that will in all likelihood be the temporary quarters of the champion, inasmuch as it is in close proximity to the Young Men's Gymnastic club, where Sullivan expects to do some work before the fight.

Backer Reynolds returned to the bay last night. With him he carried Skelly's colors and along with him he took a shoemaker, who is to get the measure of the two fighters for shoes which they will wear on the night of their fights and which, of course, must be done before Monday. Reynolds, before leaving, said for the life of him he could not make out how Dixon could whip the Brooklyn boy, who, in Reynolds' opinion, is his superior in every respect.

President Noel is going over the lake Sunday with a physician to visit the fighters so as to ascertain if they are in perfect health before permitting them to enter the ring.

The betting manipulators seem to have tired of reporting Jack McAuliffe as doing everything but that which a conscientious man should do—his duty to himself and friends. In fact, they have gone so far as to have spoiled their own game and practically put an embargo in some places to wagering upon the match between him and Myer. McAuliffe's friends, however, assure the public that Jack is in thoroughly good fighting trim—his eye bright, his head clear and cool and his skill as good as they ever were in the days when he was winning fame. Has Myer developed qualities superior to any Jack has ever shown? Next Monday will tell all the world know.

On Monday morning the McAuliffe party will leave Waveland for New Orleans. Accompanying the champion will be Mr. Roche, his backer; Mr. Sheehan and trainers Nelson and Crowe. On Monday afternoon Mr. Reynolds will escort Skelly with his staff, Carroll, Robertson, Griffin and Hogan to the city. They will seek private quarters, but if found advisable will attend the McAuliffe—Myer fight in order to familiarize Skelly with the place and its concomitant during a combat—a precaution against having his attention distracted by novel surroundings the following night when he will have more important things to think of.

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The people's party congressional convention for the First Colorado district on W. Reed, the preach-

GREAT GATHERING.

Trains Rolling Into New Orleans Crowded With People.

THE ABSORBING TOPIC EVERYWHERE.

The Pugilistic Barbecue Attracts a Crowd of Shady Characters Who Need Watching—The Betting and Opinions of the Men.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 3.—All incoming trains to-day were crowded with prize fight visitors coming from all points of the country.

The police authorities are looking to the greatest gathering ever witnessed here, except at carnival times. They expect that in the wake of the fighters and visitors to the fight will come pickpockets and thieves who will hope to ply their vocations while the throngs from abroad linger. Chief of Police Gaster has made arrangements to have here many leading police and detective officials to assist the local authorities in preventing them. The first delegation of visitors got into the city this morning from New York. Chief of Police Murphy, of Columbus, O.; Arthur Duffy, of the same place; and Frank Oglesby and F. M. Merritt were among the arrivals.

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PERSONALS.

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Miss Hallie Post returned from St. Louis yesterday afternoon.

N. H. Gentry is attending the Nebraska State Fair at Lincoln.

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Mrs. Ben Hinchcliffe, of Parsons, is visiting the family of W. S. Wilson on West Sixth.

Will Courtney and Will Mackey left last night for two weeks' business trip to Boston.

Mrs. Chas. Dexter and Mrs. W. H. Ramsey returned home at noon from their Denver trip.

Prof. F. C. Billings has moved his family from No. 616 Vermont to No. 120 E. Seventh street.

Mrs. C. F. Peffensbach returned from Parsons, Kas., after a month's visit with friends and relatives.

T. A. Nelson, of Green Ridge, was in the city to-day on his way home from a visit to Hannibal.

Will Brummet left for Warrensburg to spend Sunday with his parents and to call on his best girl.

W. A. Knight, foreman of the DEMOCRAT composing rooms, is visiting his parents at Warrensburg.

Col. Ed. B. Burrows, managing editor of the *Gazette*, will leave in the morning to attend the New Orleans

Miss Mima Nicolson, of Lincoln, Mo., after a pleasant visit with her friend, Miss Pollie Jackson, has resumed her studies at Parkville seminary.

Dr. W. H. Howard, a colored practitioner of Lexington, Mo., is in the city to-day. Dr. Howard practiced in Sedalia during the latter part of the seventies.

Miss Lena Overstreet, daughter of Dr. J. M. Overstreet, is reported dangerously sick at her home in Chicago. Her father is now at her bedside.

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THE SANTA FE ROAD.

Steps Are Now Being Taken to Complete It from Union Mo. to Kansas City.

The St. Louis Chronicle of today has the following to say of a railroad which will more than likely pass through Sedalia if completed and which, a year or more ago, was a subject of much interest to the people of Sedalia:

"There is some talk of extending the St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado railroad from Union, its present western terminus, to Kansas City.

The road at present is a branch of the St. Louis & San Francisco. It is principally used as an excursion line to Creve Coeur lake, though it forms a suburban line to Union in Franklin county.

The Atchison has no line from Kansas City to St. Louis and the bulk of a large trade along the Missouri river adjacent to Kansas City has gone to Chicago. The St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado has a good entrance to St. Louis, has a good track and passes through an excellent part of St. Louis county.

The expense of constructing such a line would, therefore, be comparatively small, as the Atchison's terminal facilities at Kansas City would require no improvement.

President Allen Mavel of the Atchison will be in town in few days to talk over the matter with his subordinates. It is proposed to make the route an air line between St. Louis and Kansas City, touching Jefferson City and other Missouri river points."

An Engineer Sealed.

Yesterday Engineer Tim Collins, of the M. K. & T., was doing some work underneath his engine, when his fireman not knowing the whereabouts of Mr. Collins, started the injector to work, and the escaping steam struck Mr. Collins in the side, blistering him to such an extent that he will not be able to work for a few days, although he will not be confined to his house. Mr. Collins

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Mustard Sardines, Sliced Lemon,

Tongue, Pickle Sauce,

Ham, Champagne Sauce,

Cucumbers, Sliced Tomatoes, Spiced Beets,

Broiled Spring Chicken, Butter Sauce,

Giblet Pie, la Reine,

Pineapple Fritters, Fruit Sauce,

Durkee Salad Dressing, Olives, French

Mustard, Pickled Onions, Salmon

Safad, Cold Slaw, Fresh

Buttermilk, Country Corn Bread,

Sirloin of Beef, Demi Glace, Leg of Veal,

with Jelly, Baked Chicken, Oyster

Dressing, Short Ribs, Brown

Potatoes, Leg of Mutton,

Caper Sauce,

Mashed Potatoes, Corn on Cob, Green Beans,

Lima Beans, Inca Peas,

Cream Cabbage,

Chocolate Ice Cream,

Lemon Pie, Assorted Cake, Grape Pie,

Assorted Nuts, Mixed Candy, Bananas,

Cheese, Grapes,

Coffee, Tea, Iced Tea, Milk,

Port, Rhine, Catawba,

A VAIN PLEA.

A Live Newspaper Talks to a Dead Town.

The following from the *Herald* shows the way the town of Columbia is not keeping its pledges to the state:

The city councilmen are the legal guardians of our municipal interests. They are charged not only with the city government but with the public welfare. They are the power to move in securing water works. The need is a grave and urgent one and is growing more daily. The contribution of our

\$50,000, the improvement of our streets, the heavy investment in private buildings now

in progress, will not only have been imperiled, but largely in vain if Columbia refuses to comply with the law and forfeits her honor in the establishment of water works.

A strike now in this direction will be worth a hundred six months hence. It will be too late when the legislature shall have met.

These are plain facts. They may not be pleasant, but they are facts and there is no earthly way of evading them. The only sensible thing to do is to begin a movement at once.

Let not the general assembly meet with the imputation resting against this community that it has failed in doing what it has legally and morally bound itself to do. Outside of all obligations it is to the interest of Columbia to have water-works. They are indispensable to her progress.

She will fall behind all her sister cities if she fails to secure them. There is no difficulty about revenue. The financial resources are ample.

But one obstacle is in the way—an indisposition, a refusal to move. This obstacle can be—must be removed at once.

Liquor for Family Use, Frank Krueger, 112 Osage Street.

Released.

Amanda Givens was released from jail to-day, after serving nineteen days' fine for assault and battery.

NOT AFRAID OF CHOLERA.

This meeting has been observed for a number of years and has been productive of much good, as it enables the teachers and the officers to become better acquainted and creates a perfect understanding of what is expected of each.

News Agent Shot.

It was learned from a passenger who came in from Parsons on the morning train that just as the train pulled out of that city at an early hour this morning, several men attempted to rob the office of the news agent at the depot. In the attempt the news agent was shot. The extent of his injuries was not

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